Your Town News

AUGUST 2021

Mayor Stuart's Community Message

A big tip of the cowboy hat to the Bowden and District Agricultural Society. This amazing group of volunteers hosted one of the more memorable Bowden Daze Rodeos. The weather was nice and obviously people had enough of the restrictions. This was one (if not THE ONE) of the most people that I have seen attend an event at the rodeo grounds. This is even more remarkable as there was no parade or other event. The Events Committee decided that they did not have enough time to organize a good parade. We hope to stage a big come back next year. I would like to thank Charley Brittain and the other entertainers who performed on Friday night.

Just a reminder that Nomination Day is on September 20th. This is the deadline for submitting your nomination papers for the October 18th municipal elections. Nomination packages are available from the Town Office. More information is available on the Alberta Urban Municipalities Association (AUMA) website: auma.ca. After accessing the website, there is a section: Running for Municipal Office which supplies information and commentaries from current elected officials. You are now allowed to attend Town Council meetings in person and are not required to wear a face mask.

At our July 12th Town Council meeting, Town Council gave First Reading to a Bylaw to redesignate town land from Urban Reserve to Heavy Industrial. This land is by the old sewer lagoons and was redesignated to facilitate future development. A motion was also moved that a Public Hearing date be set for August 23, 2021. These motions were carried unanimously.

Even though the weather has been dry, we are seeing more wastewater volume than what we bill for water. In the month of May the Town of Bowden purchased 10,673 cubic meters of water from the Mountain View Regional Water Services Commission. We were billed for 17,980 cubic meters of sewage from the South Red Deer Wastewater Commission. This is a difference of 7,304 cubic meters. Please ensure that your sump pumps do not drain into the sanitary sewer but are allowed to drain outside of your house to the storm water system. The town will be looking at a program to curb the amount of wastewater we are currently being charged for.

Warm regards,

Mayor Robb Stuart



Ever wonder where your dairy products come from?



Saturday August 7, 2021 at Happy Cow Dairy, south east of Bowden 9AM - 3PM

Feeling locked up? Want to enjoy the countryside with your family? Come connect with the nature and the dairy animals to get out of the house!

Bring your family to walk thru a dairy farm and experience firsthand what life on a dairy farm is all about.

The dairy farmers can't wait to see you and answer your questions from a distance.

An award winning event!

Scan this code with your phones camera to book your free ticket



We are working with Alberta Health Services to ensure all COVID-19 safety procedures are being followed.





Directions Follow the signs:

From Olds go east on Highway 27, Go north at Range Road 284 till it ends and travel east again. Go north at Range Road 283, Follow the signs, the farm will be on the east side of the road.

From Bowden go east on Highway 587 for 5 miles. Go south at Range Road 283 for 3 miles. Follow the signs, the farm will be on the east side of the road.

Please leave your pets at home.

For more information go to www.albertamilk.com or call 1.877.361.1231

FLOWER BASKETS

We all know that Hanging Baskets add to the beauty of our community, but did you know that they help to host our community events too? Choose to sponsor a Hanging Basket for \$60 and that money goes directly towards community events and programs.

If you sponsor a basket, your name will be published in the Town Newsletter and on our website throughout the summer in recognition of your support. Please come into the Town Office and sign up to sponsor a basket today!

Thank you to our sponsors!

The Bowden Friendship Club Sheila Church Rita & Owen Taylor Sena & Roger Urichuk Manuela & Erwin Weber Alex Corsiatto Robb & Lorraine Stuart Carol and Gary Pion Paul's Contracting Ltd. Stanley and Elisabeth Mills





- ★ Students Grades K to 4 are invited to join Mr. G for breakfast and a story.
- ★ Munsch Book Club will meet through <u>Google Meets</u> every morning August 3-6 & 9 from 9-9:30 am.
- We will be reading The Paperbag Princess, Thomas' Snowsult, Murmel Murmel, Murmel, David's Father and PIGS. Books will be provided to participants.
- ★ We have limited spots (and books) available, so register early!
- To register see Mr. G in the YES room for a form or email <u>BGeorge@cesd73.ca</u> by no later than Friday, June 25.

IF YOU OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW IS IN NEED OF CLOTHING AND MAY NOT HAVE THE RESOURCES TO ACCESS THEM, PLEASE STOP IN AT THE THRIFT STORE AND SPEAK TO ONE THE VOLUNTEERS. THEY CAN HELP TO ARRANGE SOME ITEMS AT NO COST. ALL REQUESTS ARE CONFIDENTIAL.

Paul's Contracting

Construction, bobcat, backhoe, handyman, snow removal, augering and trenching.

Paul Reid 403-412-4356 paulscontractingltd@gmail.com

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A Municipal General Election to elect a new Town Council will take place on October 18, 2021.

Elections will be held for the following offices.

Mayor - One (1) Councillors - Six (6)

The closing date for nominations is 12 noon on September 20, 2021 (ie: Nomination Day).

Candidate nomination packages are now available from the Town Administration Office.

Please call to arrange an appointment with the Returning Officer to pick up the Nomination Forms and the Nomination Information Package.

> Box 338 Bowden, AB TOMOKO 2101 20th Avenue

Innisfail & Red Deer County Family Resource Network **Community Program Calendar** August 2021

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Group 12-15yrs 2:30pm-4:30pm

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Critters Corner

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Monday

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9. SPRINGBROOK

Check FCSS calendar

for events this week

Trailhead Parking Lot

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A SPECIAL THANKS TO THE CEMETERY COMMITTEE FOR ALL THEIR HARD WORK IN MAINTAINING THE BOWDEN CEMETERY INCLUDING MOST RECENTLY IMPROVING THE SIGNAGE. REPAIRING THE FENCE, AND REPAINTING THE SHED. THANK YOU FOR ALL YOUR HARD WORK BEAUTIFYING OUR CEMETERY.

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BRING IN YOUR E-RECYCLING TODAY!

The two-year electronics pilot project is anticipating to see an additional 24,600 tonnes of electronics recycled through the program and will add additional jobs and economic impact to Alberta. An expanded electronics program has the potential to inject \$30 million GVA annually into Alberta's economy and create 360 additional full-time jobs in the recycling sector. With the data that ARMA will gather from this project, it will be able to provide the government and others with critical information that will help determine the best course of action to modernize the electronics recycling program for the long-term. Alberta continues to lead in building recycling options for our residents.



VISIT OUR WEBSITE TO LEARN MORE! ARMAePilot.com

Alberta recycling

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that at its meeting to be held on **Monday, August 23, 2021,** the Council of Town of Bowden will consider a Bylaw to redesignate lands located lands on the NW 14-34-1W5 from Urban Reserve District (UR) to Heavy Industrial District (I2).

Council will hear from any person claiming to be affected by the proposed bylaw at the Public Hearing on **Monday, August 23, 2021, at 7:00 p.m.**, at the Town Office, *2101 – 20 Avenue, Bowden, AB*

The property is located 100 metres west of Hwy 2A and is accessed from Range Road 11B.

The purpose of the bylaw is to accommodate future development.

The permitted and discretionary uses and other matters presently applicable to "UR" and "I2" districts are contained in the Town of Bowden Land Use Bylaw No. 04-2021.

The hearings will be informal and persons wishing to speak will be requested to state their name and address for the record upon being recognized by the Chair.

If you prefer to submit comments on the bylaws in writing, the information you provide may be made public, subject to the provisions of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act.

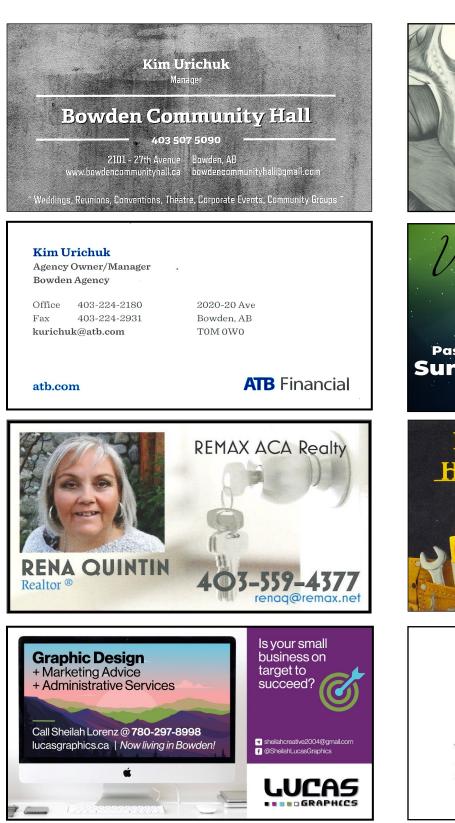
The public may inspect:

- a copy of the proposed bylaw,

-a copy of the Land Use Bylaw No. 04-2021

at the Town office located at 2101 – 20 Avenue, Bowden, Alberta, during regular office hours **8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.** MONDAY through FRIDAY.

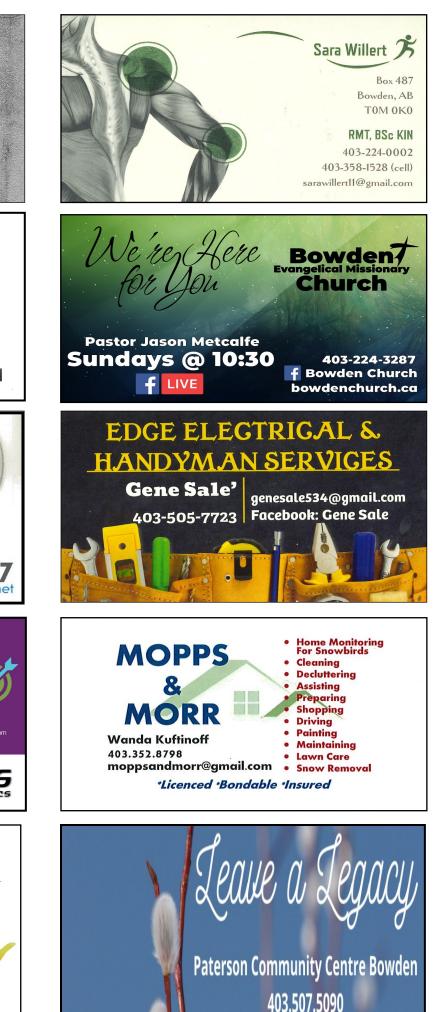


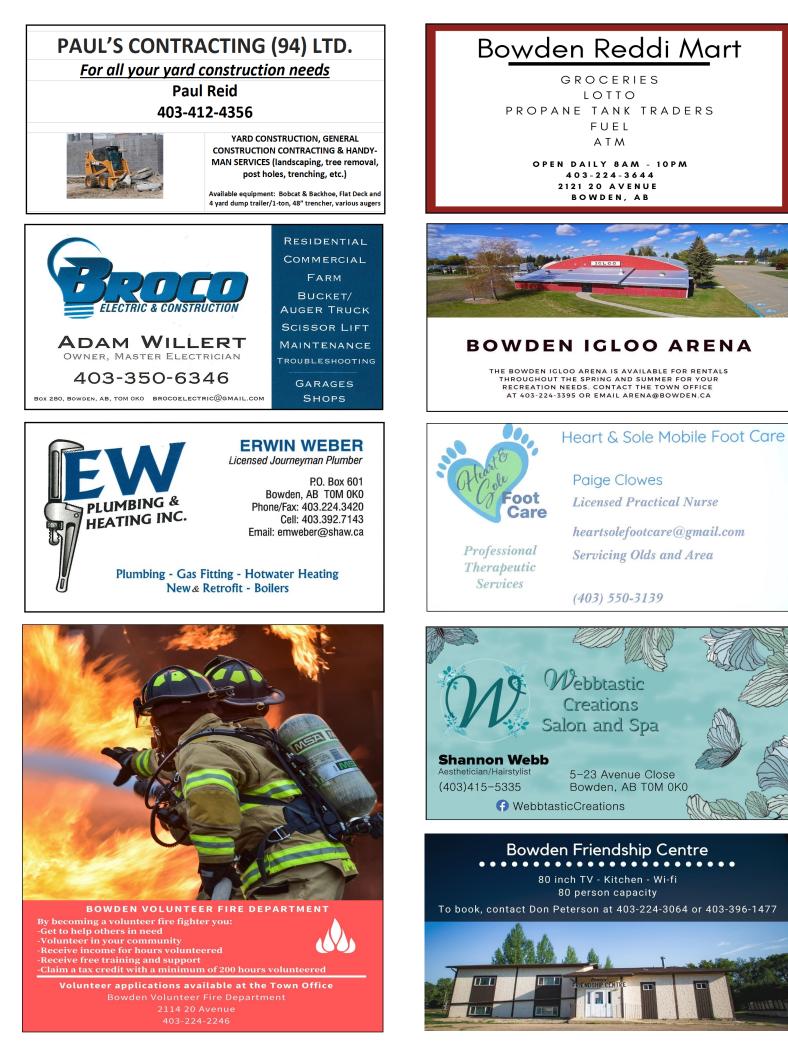




Stop in at the Town Office and fill out an application to become a volunteer. Find out how you can make a difference and get involved with one of our many boards and committees.







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AUGUST 2021							
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